

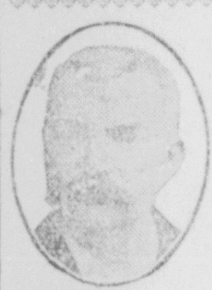
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The Simple Life

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CHAPTER V.
SIMPLE DUTY.

WHEN we talk to children on a subject that annoys them they call our attention to some pigeon on the roof diving food to his little one or some coachman down the street who is abusing his horse. Sometimes they even maliciously pronounce one of those alarming questions that put the minds of parents on the rack; all this to divert attention from the distressing topic. I fear that in the face of duty we are big children, and when that is the theme seek subterfuges to distract us.

The first sophism consists in asking ourselves if there is such a thing as duty in the abstract, or if this word does not cover one of the numerous illusions of our forefathers; for duty, in truth, supposes liberty, and the question of liberty leads us into metaphysics. How can we talk of liberty so long as this grave problem of free will is not solved? Theoretically there is no objection to this, and if life were a theory and we were here to work out a complete system of the universe it would be absurd to concern ourselves with duty until we had clarified the subject of liberty, determined its conditions, fixed its limits.

But life is not a theory. In this question of practical morality, as in the others, life has preceded hypothesis, and there is no room to believe that she ever yields its place. This liberty—relative, I admit, like everything we are acquainted with, for that matter—this duty whose existence we question is none the less the basis of all our judgments we pass upon ourselves and our fellow men. We hold each other to a certain extent responsible for our deeds and exploits.

The most ardent theorist, once outside of his theory, scruples not a whit to approve or disapprove the acts of others, to take measures against his enemies, to appeal to the generosity and justice of those he would dissuade from an unworthy step. One can no more rid himself of the notion of moral obligation than of that of time or space, and as surely as we must resign ourselves to walking before we know how to define this space through which we move and this time that measures our movements, so surely must we submit to moral obligation before having put our finger on its deep hidden roots. Moral law dominates man whether he respects or defies it. See how it is in everyday life—each one is ready to cast his stone at him who neglects a plain duty even if he alleges that he has not yet arrived at philosophic certitude. Everybody will say to him, and with excellent reason: "Sir, we are men before everything. First play your part, do your duty as citizen, father, son. After that you shall return to the course of your meditations."

However, let us be well understood. We should not wish to turn any one away from scrupulous research into the foundations of morality. No thought which leads men to concern themselves once more with these grave questions could be useless or indiffer-

ent. We simply entangle the thinker to find a way to wait till he has unearthed these foundations before he does an act of humanity, of honesty or dishonesty, of valor or cowardice. And most of all we wish to formulate a reply for all the insincere who have never tried to philosophize and for ourselves when we would offer our state of philosophic doubt in justification of our practical omissions. From the simple fact that we are men, before all theorizing, positive or negative,

about duty, we have the peremptory law to conduct ourselves like men. There is no letting out of it.

But he little knows the resources of the human heart who counts on the effect of such a reply. It matters not that it is itself unanswerable. It cannot keep other questions from arising. The sum of our pretenses for evading duty is equal to the sum of the sands of the sea or the stars of heaven.

We take refuge, then, behind duty that is obscure, difficult, contradictory. And these are certainly words to call up painful memories. To be a man of duty and to question one's own, grope in the dark, feel oneself torn between the contrary solicitations of conflicting calls, or, again, to face a duty gigantic, overwhelming, beyond our strength—what is happier! And such things happen. We would neither deny nor contest the tragedy in certain situations or the anguish of certain lives. And yet duty rarely has to make itself plain across such conflicting circumstances or to be struck out from the tortured mind like lightning from a storm cloud. Such formidable shocks are exceptional. Well for us if we stand stanch when they come! But if no one is astonished that oaks are uprooted by the whirlwind, that a wayfarer stumbles at night on an unknown road or that a soldier caught between two fires is vanquished, no more should he condemn without appeal those who have been worsted in almost superhuman moral conflicts. To succumb under the force of numbers or obstacles has never been counted a disgrace.

So my weapons are at the service of those who trench themselves behind the impregnable rampart of duty ill defined, complicated or contradictory. But it is not that which occupies me today; it is of plain—I had almost said easy—duty that I wish to speak.

We have yearly three or four high feast days and many ordinary ones. There are likewise some very great and dark combats to wage, but beside these is the multitude of plain and simple duties. Now, while in the great encounters our equipment is generally adequate, it is precisely in the little emergencies that we are found wanting. Without fear of being misled by a paradoxical form of thought, I affirm, then, that the essential thing is to fulfill our simple duties and exercise elementary justice. In general, those who lose their souls do so not because they fail to rise to difficult duty, but because they neglect to perform that which is simple. Let us illustrate this truth.

He who tries to penetrate into the humble underworld of society is not to discover great misery, pusill-

and moral. And the closer he looks the greater number of unfortunates does he discover, till in the end this assembly of the wretched appears to him like a great black world, in whose presence the individual and his means of relief are reduced to helplessness. It is true that he feels impelled to run to the succor of these unfortunates, but at the same time he asks himself, "What is the use?" The case is certainly heartrending. Some, in despair, end by doing nothing. They lack neither pity nor good intention, but these bear no fruit. They are wrong. Often a man has not the means to do good on a large scale, but that is not a reason for failing to do it at all. So many people dissolve themselves from any action on the ground that there is too much to do! They should be recalled to simple duty, and this duty in the case of which we speak is that each one, according to his resources, leisure and capacity, should create relations for himself among the world's disinherited. There are people who by the exercise of a little good will have succeeded in enrolling themselves among the followers of ministers and have ingratiated themselves with princes. What should you not succeed in forming relations with the poor and in making acquaintances among the workers who lack somewhat the necessities of life? When a few families are known, with their histories, their antecedents and their difficulties, they may be of the greatest use to them by acting the part of a brother with the moral and material aid that is yours to give. It is true you will have attacked only one little corner, but you will have done what you could and perhaps have led another on to follow you. Instead of stopping at the knowledge that much wretchedness, hatred, dissension and vice exist in society you will have introduced a little good among these evils. And by however slow degrees such kindness as yours is emulated the good will sensibly increase and the evil diminish. Even were you to remain alone in this undertaking you would have the assurance that in fulfilling the duty, plain as a child's, which offered itself you were doing the only reasonable thing. If you have felt it so, you have fanned out one of the secrets of right living.

In its dreams man's ambition embraces vast limits, but it is rarely given us to achieve great things, and even then a quick and sure success always rests on a groundwork of patient preparation. Fidelity in small things is at the base of every great achievement. We too often forget this, and yet no truth needs more to be kept in mind, particularly in the troubled eras of history and in the crises of individual life. In shipwreck a splintered beam, an oar, any scrap of wreckage, saves us. On the tumbling waves of life, when everything seems shattered to fragments, let us not forget that a single one of these poor bits may become our plank of safety. To despise the remnants is demoralization.

You are a ruined man, or you are stricken by a great bereavement, or again, you see the fruit of toilsome years perish before your eyes. You cannot rebuild your fortune, raise the dead, recover your lost toil, and in the face of the inevitable your arms drop. Then you neglect to care for your person, to keep your house, to guide your children. All this is pardonable, and how easy to understand! But it is exceedingly dangerous. To fold one's hands and let things take their course is to transform one evil into worse. You who think that you have nothing left to lose will by that very thought lose what you have. Gather up the fragments that remain to you and keep them with scrupulous care. In good time this little that is yours will be your consolation. The effort made will come to your relief, as the effort missed will turn against you. If nothing but a branch is left for you to cling to, cling to that branch, and if you stand alone in defense of a losing cause do not throw down your arms to join the rout. After the deluge a few survivors repopled the earth. The future sometimes rests in a single life as truly as life sometimes hangs by a thread. For strength go to history and nature. From the long travail of both you will learn that failure and fortune alike may come from the slightest cause, that it is not wise to neglect detail and, above all, that we must know how to wait and to begin again.

In speaking of simple duty I cannot help thinking of military life in the examples it offers to combatants in this great struggle. He would little understand his soldier's duty who, the army once beaten, should cease to brush his garments, polish his rifle and observe discipline. "But what would be the use?" perhaps you ask. Are there not various fashions of being vanquished? Is it an indifferent matter to add to defeat discouragement, disorder and demoralization? No; it should never be forgotten that the least display of energy in these terrible moments is a sign of life and hope. At once everybody feels that all is not lost.

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TEXT OF ARTICLES

Terms Upon Which the Port Arthur Garrison Was Able to Let Go.

JAPAN'S FAIR TERMS

Russian Officers Are Permitted to Depart on Honorable Parole Bearing Their Side Arms.

Soldiers Are Kept As Prisoners of War—Other Terms of the Capitulation.

The text of the articles of capitulation of the Port Arthur garrison signed by the commissioners representing General Stoessel and General Nogi, has been made public. All Russian soldiers, marines and civil officials of the garrison and harbor are made prisoners; all forts, batteries, vessels, munitions, etc., are transferred to the Japanese in the condition in which they existed at noon of Jan. 3, violation of this clause to operate as an annulment of the negotiations, giving the Japanese army warrant to take free action; the Russian military and naval authorities are to furnish to the Japanese army an exhibit of all fortifications, underground and submarine mines, a list of military officers, of ships and the numbers of their crews, and of civilians of both sexes, with their race and occupations; and all public property, as buildings, munitions of war, etc., to be left in the present position pending arrangements for their transference. Officers of the army and navy are permitted to retain their swords and such of their personal property as is directly necessary for the maintenance of life, and with one servant each, may upon signing their parole not to take up arms during the continuance of the war, return to Russia. Non-commissioned officers and privates will be held as prisoners. For the benefit of the sick and wounded Russians the sanitary corps and the accountants belonging to the Russian army and navy will be required to serve under the Japanese sanitary corps and accountants for such period of time as may be deemed necessary.

Among Russian officials there is a feeling that any proposals of peace that may be made must be with the fact in view that in order that peace may be lasting, Japan must recognize Russia's right to free transit of its ships through waters of the far East. High Japanese officials declare that there is no probability of advances coming from the Japanese government looking toward peace negotiations. In official quarters in St. Petersburg it is said that no tender of good offices from a third party would be accepted and that any proposal for peace must come from Japan.

FRANTIC RELATIVES

Demand Word of Russian War Office Concerning Soldiers.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 4.—General Stoessel's reports painting the harrowing picture of the depleted and exhausted garrison fighting on hopelessly, posted on the bulletin boards, attracted enormous crowds whose grief at the fall of the fortress was swayed by admiration for the heroic defenders. The war office and admiralty are besieged by grief-stricken relatives and friends of those at Port Arthur eagerly asking for news, but the staffs are completely without details and could give none.

The city is perfectly quiet, the agitators finding that the people were in no mood for demonstrations against the government. It is presumed that the emperor is already acquainted with the detailed terms of the surrender, it being assumed that Stoessel was allowed to communicate direct with his majesty, but the war office is still without information except such as is contained in the Tokio dispatches. The report that the officers will be allowed to return to Russia on parole and retain their swords is in the light of the generous terms expected to be accorded by a valiant foe to such a gallant enemy.

At the foreign office, while it was said that any proposals Japan might make would receive due consideration, the officials were unable to imagine how it could be possible for Japan to offer conditions which Russia could accept.

Relief Ship Sails.

Wielhaven, Jan. 4.—The British steamer Andromeda sailed for Port Arthur this morning, carrying a large quantity of medical supplies, appliances and comforts for the Russian sick and wounded.

Soldiers Have Grievances.

Mukden, Jan. 4.—There is much complaint in army circles at the mismanagement of letters and parcels addressed to soldiers and also at the mysterious disappearance of stores.

Japs Go Hunting.

Amsterdam, Jan. 4.—A dispatch from Batavia says two Japanese cruisers are cruising off Java and a flotilla of Japanese torpedo boat destroyers are north of Borneo.

STATISTICS OF SIEGE

Astonishing Figures Connected With Taking of Port Arthur.

Chefoo, Jan. 4.—Some interesting statistics concerning the defense of Port Arthur was brought here by the flotilla of Russian torpedo boat destroyers, which carried numerous chests containing complete records of General Stoessel in the army.

Originally the army numbered 25,000. Eleven thousand have been killed; 16,000 are wounded or sick, and 8,000 remained in the forts, of whom, however, 2,000 were unable to fight.

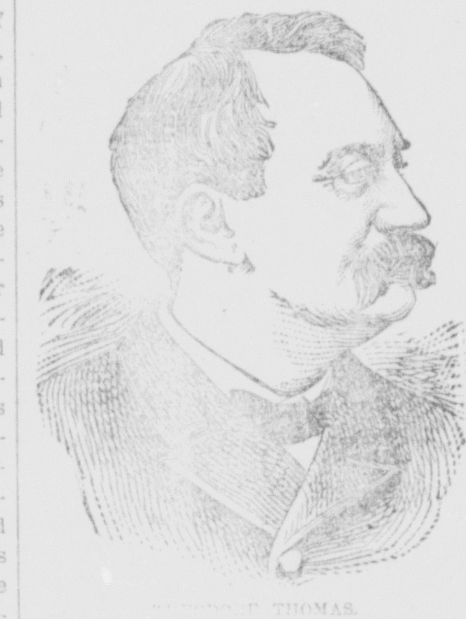
It is learned that when General Stoessel wrote to General Nogi regarding the surrender of the fortress he said: "I have 8,000 men in the forts; and 6,000 of these are able to fight. If you do not accept my proposition these men will die fighting, but it will cost you three times their number to kill them."

During the siege 265 per cent of the garrison were put out of action. This remarkable fact was due to wounded men returning to the front. Cases have been recorded where men have gone to hospital four times, returning convalescent to the forts.

The number of officers killed was proportionately greater than in any battle known in history. This was due to the frequent lethargic condition of the men who, without food and without sleep, moved only when ordered by their officers.

The Russians estimate that the taking of the fortress has cost Japan \$100,000,000.

Can't Live Many Hours.
Chicago, Jan. 4.—Theodore Thomas, conductor of the Chicago Orchestra,



suffered a relapse and his life is hanging by a thread. Mr. Thomas is so weak that it is the opinion of his physicians that he will not live many hours.

The Illinois Legislature.
Springfield, Ill. Jan. 4.—The Forty-fourth general assembly of Illinois convened at noon today. Both houses were called to order at that hour and after transacting the necessary routine business adjourned until 10 o'clock Thursday, when a joint session will be held and the vote of the recent election canvassed.

No contest over the offices of either house are looked for. The Republicans are in such heavy majorities that a fight over party lines is out of the question.

Uncovering Land Frauds.
Washington, Jan. 4.—An inspector of the interior department has been ordered to Idaho to investigate the charges as to land frauds in Idaho and he is believed to have already begun his labors.

Brace of Burglars Sentenced.
Brazil, Ind., Jan. 4.—Edward Harley and William Shackelford have been sentenced to prison for burglary.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Japan intends to propose an alteration of the rules of war affecting blockade runners.

A civil service system similar to that in operation in the Philippines is expected to be instituted shortly in Porto Rico.

Francis H. Nichols, the American explorer and correspondent, is dead in Tibet. Mr. Nichols was a native of Evanston, Ill.

Moses E. Clapp, by a vote of 127 to 1, was endorsed for re-election to the United States senate by the Minnesota legislature.

Fire consumed the home of a Polish miner in Morris Run, Pa., and the entire family of ten was either burned to death or smothered.

Unconfirmed reports of an excessive increase in the visible supply formed the basis of a break of 1 1/2c in the price of May wheat.

In all well-informed diplomatic quarters the assurance is given that the talk of mediation between Russia and Japan is entirely premature.

A fire which broke out in the tobacco district of Greenville, N. C., destroyed two warehouses, five prizefighters and several small buildings besides a million pounds of tobacco.

The renunciation of United States Senator Julius C. Burrows for a third term was agreed upon by acclamation in joint caucus of the two houses of the Michigan state legislature.

The terms of surrender at Port Arthur permit Russian officers to retain side arms and to return to Russia on parole. Noncommissioned officers and privates will remain prisoners of war.

Mrs. John Seager, wife of the private secretary to Chief Engineer Wallace of the Panama canal, is dead at Panama from yellow fever. Mr. and Mrs. Seager were married but a few months ago.

NOT READY FOR IT

Russia Resents All Talk of Peace Coming From Foreign Quarters.

A QUESTION OF HONOR

Until the Muscovites Have Had a Chance to Regain Lost Prestige They Will Not Talk Peace.

No Cessation of Hostilities Admissible Until Her Soldiers Gain Some Victory.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 4.—The flood of telegrams from abroad bringing talk of peace arouses only resentment in official circles here, and even many Liberals who are urgently pressing the government for reforms, aroused by the dreadful story of heroism and suffering of the Port Arthur garrison, declare emphatically against any cessation of hostilities until Russia's honor is vindicated by a victory in Manchuria. Equal resentment is aroused by foreign criticism of General Stoessel for blowing up the ships in the harbor and destroying the town of Port Arthur when he could no longer defend them.

Accounts received from Port Arthur refugees of the straits to which the garrison was reduced before it surrendered are almost unexampled. It is quite true that some explosives were left elsewhere with the ships and some houses were destroyed; but the ammunition of many of the forts was absolutely exhausted. Some had not fired a shot for two days before the negotiations opened. The men had been living solely on rice for a month, and many were suffering from scurvy. Even the effective soldiers were nearly all wounded and dropped asleep amidst the Japanese bombardment beside the useless guns. One midshipman who has passed through the siege has turned a white-haired, prematurely aged man.

Admiration for the heroic defense is mingled with wonder how General Stoessel continued to hide the true condition from the world.

Jubilant at Tokio.

Tokio, Jan. 4.—It is expected that the diet will now take a recess and hold a special session for the purpose of passing a vote of thanks to General Nogi and the men of the third army. A great lantern procession in celebration of the surrender of Port Arthur was held last night and the city was splendidly illuminated. Thousands of men carrying flags and lanterns marched the streets, visiting and cheering the various departments of the government.

A Russian View of It.

Chefoo, Jan. 4.—The Russians here claim to see a blessing in disguise in the fall of Port Arthur. They say that the Russian second Pacific squadron can now wait until it is overwhelmingly reinforced and that General Kuropatkin will be able to manage his campaign with a single eye to his own success without making any false steps animated by a desire to relieve General Stoessel.

The Effect at the Front.

General Kuroki's Headquarters in the Field, Jan. 3, via Fusan, Jan. 4.—The Russian fire against the Japanese trenches has almost ceased the past two days. Whether this is due to news from Port Arthur or not is unknown.

CAN'T BURN COTTON

Texas Has a Law Directly Applicable to the Subject.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 4.—It has been held by the courts that a free citizen of Texas has no right to burn or otherwise destroy his own farm products. Some years ago a farmer hauled into a Texas town a load of corn which he offered for sale. He was tendered so low a price for the grain that he deliberately emptied the whole load into the river. He was convicted and fined for destroying a valuable production of the farm.

The law reads in effect: "If any person shall willfully and maliciously injure or destroy any growing fruit, corn, grain or other like agricultural products, he shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$1,000."

This, read in connection with amendments on the law on the subject, takes away a man's right to burn his own cotton.

Harriman Gets a Setback.

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—The United States court of appeals for the Third judicial district, reverses a decision of the New Jersey circuit court, which restrained the Northern Securities Company from distributing certain stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Company. The decision is a defeat for the interests represented by E. H. Harriman.

The Case Continued.

Birmingham, N. Y., Jan. 4.—The case of A. D. Wales of this city against John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, for \$200,000 for settling the anthracite coal strike, was put over the term of the supreme court here with the consent of both parties.

Every Heart-Ache

Every pain in the breast, difficult breathing, palpitation, fluttering or dizzy spell means that your heart is straining itself in its effort to keep in motion. This is dangerous.

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Colorado Legislature Convened.

Denver, Jan. 4.—At noon today the legislature which will settle the gubernatorial contest between Governor Peabody and Alva Adams was called to order. It is expected that all of today will be required for the work of organization and that no action will be taken that has direct bearing on the governorship.

Trial Nearing an End.

Rising Sun, Ind., Jan. 4.—Captain J. B. Coles made the opening plea for Gillespie this morning and was followed this afternoon by Congressman Griffiths. Senator Kittinger will close for the state Thursday morning and the case will go to the jury at noon.

Another Carnegie Library.

Rochester, Ind., Jan. 4.—Andrew Carnegie has agreed to give \$10,000 toward a library building here, provided the city council provides a maintenance fund of \$1,000 annually and furnishes a site. The city council made haste to comply with conditions.

Editor Will Appeal.

Winamac, Ind., Jan. 4.—C. W. Riddick, editor of the Winamac Republican, on the complaint of George L. Burson, has been fined for criminal libel and has appealed to the circuit court.

Anxious for Bail.

New York, Jan. 4.—A determined effort to secure the release from the Tombs prison on bail of Nan Patterson, accused of the murder of Caesar Young, has been begun.

Work-Train Kills Two.

Clinton, Ind., Jan. 4.—James Slato and Orlo Selaske, Poles, employed on the Southern Indiana railway, were caught by a work-train and killed.



Often leads to poverty. No real woman ever sold her heart for the luxuries of life. But many a woman who has gladly faced poverty for the man she loved, may well doubt her wisdom when pain becomes the mate of poverty. If she were rich, she thinks, she could find a way of cure. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is within the reach of every one. It lifts the burden of pain which weighs down those who suffer from womanly diseases. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

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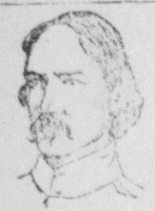
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A Poem for Today

MY SHADOW

By Robert Louis Stevenson



AS the years pass since the untimely death of Robert Louis Stevenson, poet, essayist and romancer, in 1894, his work steadily grows in public estimation. "But it was not only the many delightful qualities of his written work which made Stevenson the best loved writer of his time," says one authority: "even more, perhaps, he was endeared to countless readers by the frank revelation of a most engaging personality, which shines through all his works."

I HAVE a little shadow that goes in and out with me,
And what can be the use of him is more than I can see.
He is very, very like me from the heels up to the head;
And I see him jump before me, when I jump into my bed.

The funniest thing about him is the way he likes to grow—
Not at all like proper children, which is always very slow;
For he sometimes shoots up taller, like an india-rubber ball,
And he sometimes gets so little that there's none of him at all.

He hasn't got a notion of how children ought to play,
And can only make a fool of me in every sort of way.
He stays so close beside me, he's a coward you can see;
I'd think shame to stick to nurse as that shadow sticks to me!

One morning, very early, before the sun was up,
I rose and found the shining dew on every buttercup;
But my lazy little shadow, like an arrant sleepy-head,
Had stayed at home behind me and was fast asleep in bed.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1905.

THE General Assembly of Indiana will meet Thursday of this week. Little more than organization will be done this week. This will be the 64th session of the Indiana legislature.

A BANK has been organized at Nashville, Brown county, with a capital stock of \$25,000. M. R. Sulzer, of Madison, was the chief promoter of the bank. That county has been doing business without a bank.

GOVERNOR DUBBIN has appointed an entirely new board for the Evansville hospital for the insane. The men appointed are John T. Stout, at Paoli, J. T. Bays, of Sullivan, and Samuel W. Man, of Huntington.

DEER LICK

School begun Monday [after a week's holiday].

Geo. Fox spent holidays hauling logs which he seems to enjoy very much.

Rev. Peck preached a very interesting sermon Sunday morning.

Fred Emly took very sick last Friday.

Billy Gossett is on the sick list.

David Ackert and family from Indianapolis are visiting his parents.

Bill Foist and family of Grammer spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Foist.

Wm. Burkley and son Dr. H. W. Burkley of Seymour were business callers here Friday.

Misses Amelia and Katie Biekman spent last week at Indianapolis.

Warren Ackert and family visited Mrs. Brooks Sunday.

H. H. Beatty and wife Harlan Gruber and family and Mrs. Gruber spent Sunday with J. A. Fox and family.

Several from here attended the party at Charley Welliver's last Tuesday evening.

The Ackert Sunday school elected officers for the following year. They are as follows: Supt., J. A. Fox; Asst. Supt., Fred Ackert; Sec., Katie Biekman; Treas., Arthur Craig; Org., Amelia Biekman; Librarian, Ben Fox.

FLEMING.

George Palmer was the lucky guesser and got the big stick of candy at John Mettett's store.

Mrs. Sarah Stanfield and Mrs. Horn visited Mrs. Samuel Stanfield Monday.

James Patterson, of Loogootee, visited his daughter Mrs. Ella Robins over Sunday.

Jacob Emly was at North Vernon Monday.

Joe Stanfield gave a party last Tuesday night. A large crowd attended and all report a good time.

Allice Judd visited her sister, Mrs. Willie Lewis Sunday.

Miss Goldie Stanfield is staying in the family of Noah Sullivan this week.

James Cox and wife, of Seymour, is visiting at this place.

PLEASANT GROVE.

Miss Anna Manda Gallimore returned from Indianapolis Monday after a week's visit with friends there.

Jessa Trent and mother moved into the house recently vacated by Cecil Browning and wife.

School opened Monday after a week's vacation.

After a week's visit with relatives and friends at this place, Mrs. Ethel and Robert Callaway returned to their home in St. Louis Saturday.

John Lucas visited his sister Mrs. Nora Denny at Freetown last Friday.

Ogle Patrick was the guest of Cecil Reynolds Saturday and Sunday.

John Helman and wife returned home Saturday after a week's visit with relatives at Martinsville.

Miss Emma and Jennie Garis of Elwing were welcome visitors in Samuel Robertson's family last Sunday.

Next Sunday afternoon is our regular preaching time. Everybody invited to come out.

Several from this place attended the revival meeting at Freetown last week.

There was a social given at the home of Rev. Frank Reynolds and wife last Friday night in honor of their niece and nephew Ethel and Robert Callaway of St. Louis. Quite a large crowd was present and all reported a good time.

Quite a number from this place attended the opera at Brownstown Friday night.

Ada Bultman and two sons Herbert and Harold were guests of Ed Bultman and wife Saturday night and Sunday.

Look out for a wedding soon.

Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one, for four weeks, when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburg, Pa., "and when I got better, although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double and had to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by Electric Bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorders; at W. F. Peter Drug Co., price 50c.

Look out for a wedding soon.

AUSTIN.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lett took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaver of Oak Grove.

Monie Lett is spending a few days with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis.

Miss Addella and Lydia Davis have gone to North Vernon and Butlerville to visit friends and relatives. On their way home will spend a day in Seymour with Mrs. Charlie Murphy.

Howard H. Davis, who is in Kansas, writes that he was alone with nothing but the wolves for company. He says it is six miles to the nearest neighbors and as far to the Post-office as from Austin to Seymour.

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ITCHING ECZEMA

In July, 1883, I began to break out with Eczema on my head, legs and arms, and began treatment with local doctors, but did not get much relief. They said the disease had become chronic. I then quit them and tried various ointments and soaps for another two years, but as soon as cold weather came I was as bad off as ever, so I finally decided to let medicine alone, and for twelve or thirteen years did nothing towards curing the Eczema, except bathing. This seemed to do about as much good as anything I had tried.

During the time I lost about one-half of my hair. I began S. S. S. doubtful of a cure, because the disease had run so long, but soon discovered your medicine was doing me good, and continued to take it. I used seven bottles, when I was completely cured, not having a single spot on my body, which before was almost completely covered.

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The head, feet and hands are usually the parts affected, though the disease appears on other parts of the body. While external applications allay the itching and burning temporarily, it is the acids thrown off by the blood that cause the irritation and eruptions upon the skin. The acids must be neutralized and the system cleansed of all humors and poisons before the cure is permanent.

S. S. S. is guaranteed entirely free of Potash, Arsenic and other minerals. Book on the skin and its diseases sent free.

Medical advice furnished free.

The Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

Enormous Real Estate Deal.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—One of the largest real estate deals in the downtown district for many years, involving a cash consideration of \$2,500,000, was completed by the filing of a deed from the Chicago Dock company to the Illinois Tunnel company. The property has a river frontage of 404 feet. It contains dockage for 140 large freight cars, which may be loaded or unloaded at one time, and several rows of buildings seven to nine stories high, 600 feet long and 100 feet wide.

Horrible Method of Suicide.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 4.—T. C. Alexander, a pioneer resident, burned himself to death in an outhouse. She secured possession of a can of kerosene with which she drenched her clothing, and, going to the outhouse, set herself on fire. Worry over the health of her two daughters is supposed to be the cause of her action.

Preacher Held to Answer.

New York, Jan. 4.—Rev. Carlos Martyn, at one time pastor of the Bloomingdale Reformed church and later pastor of the First Reformed church of Newark, N. J., was arrested here on a charge of grand larceny in connection with the tangled affairs of the defunct Abbey Press of which he was at one time president.

Jealous Man's Triple Crime.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 4.—Enraged by jealousy of Frank Dunne, whom he believed to have alienated his wife's affection, Henry K. Loomis killed Dunne and Mrs. Loomis and then committed suicide.

Notice of Election.

The regular annual meeting of the shareholders of the First National Bank of Seymour, Indiana, for the election of the officers and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the banking house, January 10, 1905.

J. H. ANDREWS, Jr., Cashier.

BLOOMING VALLEY.

Willard Sutton, of Kossuth, is visiting in the family of Perry Robinson this week.

Edward Doty caught a large fox last week.

Asa Rose and family visited Sunday in the family of Azariah Waskom.

Mrs. Knuckles, of Seymour, visited her home Sunday.

Miss Ethel Crockett, of Vallonia, visited her uncle Frank Crockett Sunday.

STOUTS MILL.

The smallpox scare is about over.

G. W. B. McConnell and family visited relatives at Indianapolis Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Holland continues about the same.

Goldie a little daughter of Wm. Helt and wife is sick with stomach trouble.

Perry Little and wife, of Seymour, visited Mrs. Little and family Sunday.

Claud and Clyde Swengel attended a turkey dinner at James Luckey's Sunday.

Five of Chas. Helt's family are sick with La Grippe.

John Lankford is very sick with stomach trouble.

John Morrison and family, of Hayden, visited Walter Akens and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Alice Lemon is visiting relatives at St. Louis Crossing this week.

Two of Sam Roger's children have the chickenpox.

Chas. Lewis and family, of Indianapolis, are visiting Job Hamlin and family this week.

E. Tally and wife visited John Adams and wife at Alert Saturday and Sunday.

Dan Hollinsworth and family, Jacob Baldwin and family visited Ed Reddick and family at Reddington Sunday.

Vol Fox and wife were at Indianapolis Monday.

Married Saturday evening at Columbus, Miss Grace Marsh and Dan Trent. They will live in Illinois.

Died Thursday evening, Mrs. Samuel Arnold, age 84 years. Funeral at Sand Creek Saturday at 10 o'clock.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Will be Opened to The Public Next Monday Night.

The Seymour Public Library Board held a meeting Tuesday night, expecting that Miss Hougland, of the state library commission, would meet with them, but at the last moment she sent notice that another meeting prevented her coming. The Board, however, talked over their plans pertaining to the work now under way at the library and those which concern the opening of the library to the public.

It was decided to open the library next Monday night and from that time forth the public will have access to the library and reading rooms. Further announcement of the plans for the opening or any changes that may be made will be published later.

One feature of the opening that will doubtless interest many and should be of much benefit to the library is the "book shower" that is planned. By this means the Board hopes to add several volumes to the library.

The Board and the Librarian have been hard at work getting the library in proper shape in the new building and they have found the task much greater than they anticipated. But they are doing their work well and the public will appreciate it.

HOUSTON.

DIED.—Thomas Pruitt a pioneer of this place, departed this life Dec. 30, 1904. The deceased leaves three brothers, a wife, two sons and seven daughters and a host of relatives and friends to mourn his death. The relatives have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad hour of bereavement.

Deceased was born in Indiana 79 years 2 months 14 days prior to his death caused by pulmonary tuberculosis. Interment in the Lutes cemetery Dec. 31.

Henry Combs who has been visiting relatives and friends here for some time returned to his home in Terre Haute, Friday.

Several teachers from this vicinity attended State Teachers Association at Indianapolis, Thursday, Friday and Saturday and all report a very enjoyable time.

W. B. Brown is reported on the sick list.

Several young folks attended church at Freetown Sunday night.

Harriet McKain of Terre Haute attended the funeral of her father, Thos. Pruitt, at this place Sunday.

Mrs. Harden, of Nashville spent part of the week in the family of Elmer Clark.

Miss Sadie Summa of this place visited her Uncle John Pruitt, at Freetown over Sunday.

Mrs. Mirah Pruitt is visiting relatives in Brownstown.

Mrs. Manda Summa and Mrs. Mollie Summa are visiting relatives in Heltosville at this writing.

Sade Carmichael and children of Lockman spent Sunday in the family of John Cummings.

Perry Thompson has gone to Terre Haute to seek employment.

Resa O. Lutes and Wm. Cornett went to Maumee to work, Monday.

Meady Lutes of Kurtz was a business visitor here Saturday.

Ollie McMahon spent a part of last week with relatives at Brownstown.

John Taylor and family of Christianburg, spent Sunday in the family of John McMahon.

David Summa and family, spent a few days of last week with relatives in Brownstown.

CANA, JENNINGS CO.

Don't forget the date—1905.

Attendance at Sunday school 95.

Sunday school was reorganized at Marion with Benton Barnes Supt.

Otto Downs and family of Beech Grove, and Mrs. Jose Loebline, of Rockford, visited with Mrs. Mary Ebb.

Gladys Coryell spent the holidays with her uncle Hector and other relatives in Louisville.

Roscoe Taisler spent Sunday with friends in Louisville.

Our Sunday school reports an average attendance of 66 for last year.

Mr. Elston of Ohio, has moved into Elisha Bridges' property.

We anticipate a wedding soon.

Ed Barnes and family and Daily Sage and wife are home from Illinois for the winter.

Sally Ryne is ill with tuberculosis.

SHIELDS.

Miss Eva Pillman is visiting her brother John Pillman this week.

Miss Lillian Finke went to Seymour Thursday to attend the wedding of her mother, Mrs. Finke.



Here's Your Chance!

ONE-FOURTH OFF

THIS WEEK

On all our Boys' and Children's
Overcoats, Age 4 to 15.

Good Line to Select From

THE HUB.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Is a very familiar greeting, but can one be happy without health? No! Then our greeting is twice welcome because we also offer you a medicine that will positively restore you to health and happiness, namely, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It never fails in cases of indigestion, dyspepsia, flatulency, heartburn, insomnia, chills, or colds. Try a bottle; also get a free copy of our 1905 Almanac from your Druggist.

HUSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

PERSONAL.

Geo. W. Bidel, of Uniontown, was here today.

John Peter came up from Louisville this morning.

W. T. Branaman was at Brownstown today.

John L. Ford went to Brownstown this morning.

A. D. Sutherland was here from Brownstown today.

Elder Thomas Jones made a trip to Scottsburg today.

August Cordes transacted business at Brownstown today.

Attorney C. H. Rutherford is reported some better today.

J. H. Hodapp made a business trip to Indianapolis today.

Thos. Hopewell was a northbound passenger this morning.

L. G. Mosely and wife have returned from a visit at Fleming.

Miss Nina Ewing went to Louisville today to see relatives and friends.

Joe Smith and wife are home from Holton, where they spent the holidays.

Ed Blazie, clerk at Stanfield & Carlson's, has been sick but is at work again.

Albert Berdon returned to Purdue University today to resume his college work.

J. P. Throop and A. W. Bruner, of Paoli, passed through to Indianapolis today.

E. I. Vehslage returned to Purdue today where he is instructor in drafting this year.

John Hardin, of Nineveh, was here this morning on business with Thos. Hopewell.

Jacob Seider and wife, who were here visiting W. A. Laupus and wife, have returned to Jeffersonville.

Mrs. J. F. Severinghaus is home from Louisville visiting her son, Rev. C. E. Severinghaus, and family.

C. A. Bolles and wife returned to Pittsburg, Pa., last evening from a visit with his parents at Brownstown.

John Conner and Harry Guernsey returned to DePauw University today after spending their vacation at home.

Miss Martha Grimm who has been here visiting Mrs. Frank Voss and other relatives returned to Rossville today.

Lewis Ackerman, of Seymour, who has been visiting friends here, returned to his home this morning.—Bedford Mail.

Miss Alma Seider, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Laupus, returned to Jeffersonville this morning.

Dr. H. A. Washburn, county coroner, who was here Tuesday to take evidence relative to the death of Henry Ahl, has returned to Freetown.

Miss Selda Wesner, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lon Beckwith, returned this morning to her home in Louisville.—Columbus Republican.

Dr. G. G. Graessle went to Indianapolis today to accompany Mrs. Mary Isaacs home. The condition of her health remains as it was when she went away.

Roxy Montgomery, daughter of J. U. Montgomery, who has been very sick with typhoid fever, is improving. Her cousin Miss Goldie Montgomery, who is with her, is also quite sick.

Miss Bessie Montgomery, of Indianapolis, who has been visiting at Columbus, will arrive here this evening on account of the illness of her sister Miss Goldie.

A. J. Hamilton and wife and daughter, returned to Cincinnati yesterday from a several days' visit with relatives and friends at Brownstown. He is a Pullman conductor on the L. & N. running from Cincinnati to New Orleans.

MARRIED.

PROBST-BORGSTEAD.

Christian H. Probst, the newly elected trustee of Jackson township, was the first man to ask for a marriage license this year. He came to the city this morning and after qualifying as the trustee of Jackson township he went to the clerk's office and secured a marriage license. He is to wed Catherine Adeline M. Borgstead.—Columbus Republican.

Aged Minister Dead.

Rev. Joshua D. Griffith, father of Congressman F. M. Griffith, died at his home near Vevay, Monday night.

Congressman Griffith was engaged in the Gillespie trial at Rising Sun when a message came announcing his father's death. Rev. Griffith was one of the oldest Baptist ministers in the state.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

GETS AN AGENCY.

John Price is Given a Berth at Vernon by Pennsylvania Company.

John Price will move with his family from this city to Vernon tomorrow, where he has been given a position as station agent for the Pennsylvania Railway Company at that point.

Price was formerly a brakeman on the Pennsylvania Road and while serving the company in that capacity a few months ago he met with an accident at Rushville in which one of his feet was so badly mashed that amputation was necessary and the injured foot was removed. Later from some cause it became necessary to make two other amputations and by these the injured leg was removed as far up as the knee. Mr. Price never brought any action for damages against the company on account of his injuries and now the company has rewarded him by giving him a berth at Vernon.

—Columbus Herald.

John Price formerly lived here being a brother of George and Henry Price.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

N. C. Bennett, trainmaster, was here this morning.

M. I. Cain, the engineer who was so seriously hurt in the wreck near Columbus, is reported to be improving both mentally and physically and will be taken to his home at Jeffersonville in a few days.

It is said that the Pennsylvania has settled with Mrs. Samuel Crowe whose husband was killed in the wreck north of Columbus paying her \$7,000.

DIED.

KNOTT—Miss Ida Knott died of typhoid fever at the family home near Rockford Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock after an illness of one week. Her age was fifteen years and eight months and was a daughter of Patrick Knott, who died in November. She leaves a mother and seven brothers and one sister. Funeral from St. Ambrose church at 2 p. m. Thursday. Burial at the Catholic cemetery.

CARPENTER—Allen Carpenter died at his home on East Second street about 2 o'clock this Wednesday afternoon. He had only been sick a few days. Mr. Carpenter had been in the employ of the Southern Indiana and looked after the switch lights.

He leaves a wife and four children, two at home, Mrs. Willard Cox, of this city, and Allen, of Peter's switch.

Sells Mother's Bread.

J. H. Hopewell has succeeded August Kisselman as the local agent for "Mother's Bread" and has already entered upon his duties. He is thoroughly competent to handle the business and we predict that he will make it succeed. Mr. Kisselman we understand, expects to locate in the west.

Henry Ahl's Funeral.

Announcement of the funeral of Henry Ahl has not been made yet. The family is awaiting the arrival of relatives from the west who have sent telegrams that they are coming.

Printing Contract.

The county commissioners have awarded the county printing contract to Thorton & Levy, of Indianapolis, after taking considerable time to figure on the four bids submitted.

Cold Morning.

W. H. Baldwin, the local weather observer, reports that the thermometer stood five degrees above zero Wednesday morning. This is probably the coldest morning so far this winter.

Baptist Meeting.

Special business meeting of the First Baptist church tonight at 7:30. It is desired that there be a full attendance of the membership of the church.

OAK GROVE.

Several from here attended church at Surprise Saturday and Sunday night.

Charles Day and wife of Honeytown visited the latter's parents here Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boknecht.

Wallace Wheldon and wife, of Longview, spent New Year's day with L. D. Hooker and family.

Odus Hooker went to Heltonville Monday where he has employment.

J. A. Roberts called on friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Curg Robertson and two daughters, of Honeytown, visited S. E. Hamilton and son Luie, Friday.

Sigal Wright was a business caller here Saturday.

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris, is, that the, have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn.

"I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure." Unequalled quick cure, for throat and lung troubles. At W. F. Peter Drug Co., price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottles free.

Black Creek coal your dealer has it.

PROMINENT CITIZEN OF MINNEAPOLIS

Claims Vinol Contains One Hundred Per Cent More Curative Value Than Any Other Medicine.

Mr. Peter of the W. F. Peter Drug Co. says: "Such testimony as the following is pouring in from our best class of citizens all over the country and is positive proof that Vinol is a splendid medicine and possesses all the curative, body building and strength creating properties which we claim for it."

Mr. Theo. J. Birgelein of Minneapolis Minn., one of the foremost citizens of this great western city, writes: "I always stand ready to recommend your cod liver oil preparation, Vinol, as I have found from my own experience that it does 100 per cent, more good than any other medicine I have ever tried. For five years we have used



THEO. J. BIRGELEIN.

Vinol in our family, and each succeeding year I feel like praising it more and more as the greatest curative and strength-creating tonic in the world."

Mr. Peter says: "Vinol is not a patent medicine. Everything in it is printed on the bottle. It contains in a concentrated form all the medicinal elements of cod liver oil actually taken from fresh cod's livers, but without a drop of oil or grease to upset the stomach and retard its work. We have never sold anything in our store equal to Vinol to build up the run down tired and debilitated, and give renewed strength and vitality to the weak and aged, or to cure chronic coughs, colds, bronchitis, or incipient consumption. We ask the people of Seymour to try Vinol on our guarantee to return money if it fails. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Constipation and piles are twins. They kill people inch by inch, sap life away every day. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure you. No cure, no pay. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

One-Way Settlers Fares to South and Southeast.

One-way excursion tickets to points Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia, account Settlers' Excursions will be sold from all ticket stations on the Pennsylvania Lines, during December, January, February, March and April, or full particulars consult Local Ticket Agent of those lines.

Advertised Letter

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES.

Gilkison Minnie Miss.
McDonald Lucinda Mrs.
McDonald Lucinda

GENTS.

Brown John W. Mr.
McDonald John Mr.
Perry F. J.

Seymour, Ind., Jan. 2, 1905.
WM. P. MASTERS, P. M.

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Great Invoice Sale!

BEGINS NOW

Dec. 29, 1904, Until Date of Invoice Jan. 12, 1905, 25c to 50c Off the Dollar on the Following:

Ladies' and Children's Cloaks.

Ladies' Shirt Waists.

Ladies' Skirts.

Ladies' Suits.

Ladies' Wrappers.

Children's Dresses.

Best Prints 5c per yard.

Heavy 4-4 Brown Muslin 5c per yard.

Underwear at Special Low Prices.

Carpets Never so Cheap.

Carpet Samples 1 1/2 yard in piece worth 50c to \$1.00 for 25c to 35c.

One Lot Umbrellas worth 49c for 29c.

C. R. HOFFMAN'S CASH HOUSE,

22 SOUTH CHESTNUT ST., SEYMOUR, IND.

Bronze Stock Turkeys FOR SALE.

For a short time we will hold some high grade bronze turkeys in order to accommodate our farmer patrons who may want to get new blood into their flocks. We will have hens and gobblers from different flocks. The past three years have proven that it pays to come to us for good breeding stock, as we are as much interested as the farmers in getting good stock into the country from which we buy our poultry.

We are not asking fancy prices. If you want some stock turkeys come soon.

Frank H. Hadley & Co.,

Seymour, Ind. Poultry, Egg and Butter Dealers.

Neglect It and Then Regret It!

You now have your babies and other small children, but have no picture of them. Winter is coming on with the danger of colds, croup and other diseases of children. You may take them through the winter and may not. Should you lose one or more and have no picture of them? you would then regret your neglect. Bring your little ones and big ones also to us right by the post office and get photos. If you can not get high priced get cheap ones, but get Photographs of some kind. We seldom fail with babies.

PLATTER & CO.

FOR CHRISTMAS GIVING

You can make selection of a Fine Fountain Pen \$1.00 to \$5.00
Toilet Sets, Stag, Ebony or Celluloid at \$1.00 to \$10.00
Bibles, Morocco bound, \$1.00 to \$5.00
Or any of the new Copyright Fictions \$1.18
And rest easy that you have given something that will be appreciated.

We have the largest and best selected line of Books and Toys for the little ones and at the lowest prices that we have ever shown

MILLER'S BOOK STORE,

20 W. SECOND ST., SEYMOUR, IND.

JUST THE RIGHT THING

W. F. Pfaffenberger always has good medium priced foot wear of just the right kind to suit everyone. Shoes, Rubbers, Felt combinations, overgaiters, etc., at prices that save you the trouble of looking around for bargains. Just buy at Pfaffenberger's store and you will have the best at lowest price.

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C. H. MONTGOMERY, ATTORNEY.

Will practice in all the courts of the state. Careful attention given to collections and to probate matters. Office over the First National Bank, Seymour, Ind.

J. M. Burke, Optometrist.
Eyes examined and glasses fitted by the latest and most improved methods by a specialist at J. G. Laupus' Jewelry store, Friday of each week.

November Coughs

The changeable weather of November is very hard on throat and lungs, causing much coughing and soreness. We invite your Doctor's prescriptions for medicine covering such ailments. Also if you want a good household cough remedy, one that has proven thoroughly reliable during a use of several years, we will gladly supply you Rexall Cough Juice at 25c a bottle.

W. F. PETER DRUG CO.,
Phone 400.

Opera House!

J. E. BARTLETT, Mgr.

Wednesday, Jan. 4.

THE GREAT SUCCESS

Under Southern Skies.

By LOTTIE BLAIR PARKER.

Author of "Way Down East" and the stage version of "The Redemption of David Corson."

A Play That Will Live Forever.

MASSIVE PRODUCTION.

Complete in Every Detail.

The most original, unbacked and diverting play of Southern Life ever written.

Prices: 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, and \$1.00.

PIANO TUNING!

ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

JOHN EUDALY, Postal Teleg. Office

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, Ill., January 4, 1905—Increasing cloudiness with light snow to-night and probably Thursday. Warmer tonight.

See Wm. Schroer for all kinds of groceries. j7d

There is satisfaction in burning Black Creek coal. j7d

Have your clothes cleaned, pressed and put in good shape for the holidays. Peterman, the tailor. Phone 228. j16d

An agreeable movement of the bowels without any unpleasant effect is produced by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

"Under Southern Skies" company arrived from Vincennes this morning. This is a company and a play that will please you.

A large percent of the people in Seymour are burning Black Creek coal and express universal satisfaction. j7d

The greatest system renovator. Restores vitality, regulates the kidneys, liver and stomach. If Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea fails to cure get your money back. That's fair. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Black Creek coal makes a strong heat, light ash and does not clinker. j7d

WANT ADVERTISING

To a man who has a little money to invest the real estate and business opportunity advertisements are as interesting as are the store advertisements to the housewife—and that is saying a good deal.

CALENDAR PADS.—For 1905, one cent each at the REPUBLICAN office.

FOR RENT.—Six room residence 530 N. Walnut Street. Inquire 534 N. Walnut. j5d

WANTED.—One or two furnished rooms suitable for light house keeping. References exchanged. Apply C. REPUBLICAN office. j2d

OLD PAPERS.—20c per hundred. Useful in many ways about the house. The REPUBLICAN.

FOR SALE.—Copper plate engraved calling cards. Always in good taste. Plate 50 cents; 100 cards from plate \$1.00; 50 cards from plate 75 cents. Leave orders at the REPUBLICAN office.

Officers Installed.

Seymour Lodge No. 204, I. O. O. F. installed the following officers Tuesday night.

Chas. W. Clark, N. G.
Melvin Jerrell, V. G.
Wm. Meskele, Secy.
Robt. Binder, Per. Secy.
Ben Gilman, Treas.
Al Bryan, Cond.
Ed Loertz, Warden.
Roy Balsley, I. G.
Ira Gardner, O. S.
Wm. Rottkar, R. S. N. G.
L. B. Hill, L. S. N. G.
Alvin Brown, R. S. V. G.
Ed Hopewell, L. S. V. G.
Carl Harrison, R. S. S.
Urban Kysar, L. S. S.
Harley Jackson, Chaplain.
H. P. Miller, trustee.

Invoiced Stock.

The stock of drugs and sundries of Albert E. Yeager at Jonesville were invoiced Tuesday by B. W. Parker and Dr. DeLong. Mr. Yeager has filed a petition in bankruptcy and the creditors will meet before Judge Batchelor in W. W. Lambert's office at Columbus next Monday. The Daniel Stewart Drug Company at Indianapolis holds a mortgage on the stock and sets up a prior claim. This may result in some litigation.

Good One Tonight.

"Under Southern Skies" will be played at the opera house tonight by a good company. The cast is composed of 23 people. A car load of special scenery is used in the production. We have no hesitancy in commending this play. The play is a delightful romance and portrays southern social life and hospitality. This is one of the plays you should not miss.

Attention Woodmen.

There will be degree work at the regular meeting Wednesday night. Also other business of importance to be transacted.

C. W. BURKART, C.
Geo. F. MEYER, Clerk.

Campbells Creek.

Part of the 15,000,000 tons of coal just received. Both Pittsburg and Campbells Creek. d7j

Phone 1. H. F. WHITE.

BORN.

Born to Chas. Sierp and wife Tuesday Jan. 3, a son.

I'll brave the storms of Chilkoot Pass, I'll cross the plains of frozen glass, I'll leave my wife and cross the sea, Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

DAVIS & WITCH Hazel Salve
For Piles, Burns, Sores.

25¢ A COPY

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"Indispensable." "The one magazine I feel I must take." "The world under a field-glass." "An education in public affairs and current literature."—these are some of the phrases one hears from noted people who read the Review of Reviews. The more magazines there are, the more necessary is the Review of Reviews, because it brings together the best that is in all the most important monthlies of the world. Such is the flood of periodical literature that nowadays people say that the only way to keep up with it is to read the Review of Reviews. Entirely over and above this reviewing section, it has more original matter and illustrations than most magazines, and the most timely and important articles printed in any monthly.

Probably the most useful section of all is Dr. Albert Shaw's illustrated "Progress of the World," where public events and issues are authoritatively and lucidly explained in every issue. Many a subscriber writes, "This department alone is worth more than the price of the magazine." The unique cartoon department, depicting current history in caricature, is another favorite. The Review of Reviews covers five continents, and is American, first and foremost.

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B. & O. S-W. TIME TABLE

AT SEYMOUR, INDIANA. Effect Dec. 4, 1914.

EAST BOUND.

ARRIVE.	DEPART.
No. 12 4:40 a.m. daily.....	4:43 a.m.
No. 4 9:10 a.m. m. dly ex Sun 6:21 a.m.	9:14 a.m.
No. 2 3:40 p.m. m. dly.....	3:45 p.m.
No. 8 4:32 p.m. m. dly ex Sun 4:37 p.m.	4:37 p.m.
No. 6 6:05 p.m. m. dly ex Sun. 6:08 p.m.	6:08 p.m.

WEST BOUND.

ARRIVE.	DEPART.
No. 9 5:24 a.m. Sun only.....	5:27 a.m.
No. 5 6:24 a.m. m. dly ex Sun 6:21 a.m.	6:27 a.m.
No. 7 10:17 a.m. m. dly ex Sun 10:25 a.m.	10:25 a.m.
No. 1 11:20 a.m. m. dly.....	11:23 a.m.
No. 11 1:45 p.m. m. dly.....	1:48 p.m.
No. 3 11:50 p.m. m. dly.....	11:53 p.m.

C. C. FREY, Agt

HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

West, Northwest and Southwest via Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines to points west, northwest and southwest, during December, January, February, March and April. For full particulars regarding fares, routes, etc., call on local ticket agent of those lines.

Insurance, Fire, Life and Accident; Real Estate, Five Per Cent. Loans, Notary Public. All Matters Given Prompt Attention.

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Eyes examined by the latest and most improved methods by a specialist in this line of work. Eye glasses and spectacles fitted for all defects of vision and relief of eye strain. Result guaranteed at J. G. Laupus' jewelry ore Friday of each week.

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DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspaper is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything, but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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Calls answered day or night.

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BROKE HER KNEE

Mrs. Pat Campbell Compelled to Abandon American Tour.

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the English actress, fractured a knee-cap last night, the result



of a fall while entering a carriage to go to the Broad street theater. She was removed to the University of Pennsylvania hospital, and it will be two months, the doctors say, before she will be able to walk. The remainder of her American tour will be abandoned.

Receiver Appointed.

New York, Jan. 4.—Robert C. Morris was appointed receiver for the Windsor company, dealers in cotton goods, which, according to the petition, owns a plant worth \$1,200,000 at North Adams, Mass.

REST MADE EASY.

There Will be Less Sleeplessness When Seymour People Learn This.

Can't sleep at night with a bad back, a lame, a weak or an aching one. Doan's Kidney Pills are for bad backs.

They cure every form of kidney ills, from common backache to diabetes. They are endorsed by Seymour people.

Mrs. Henry Meritz, of Lynn and Laurel street says: "Doan's Kidney Pills certainly did me much good. I suffered from a terrible lame back, and the kidney secretions were irregular. I also suffered from depressing headaches which ascended the back of my neck. From my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I can heartily recommend them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cts. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

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EXTENDING ACQUAINTANCE

Senator-to-Be Hemenway Is Mingling With the Scions.

Indianapolis, Jan. 4.—Senator-to-be Hemenway has already announced the appointment of his private secretary, Truman P. Tullman, his fellow townsman and chairman of the Warlike county central committee, in the lucky man. He will go to Washington with Mr. Hemenway next winter. Mr. Hemenway is rapidly extending his acquaintance among the members of the legislature and the party workers who did not know him before he became a candidate to succeed Senator Fairbank. He is in excellent spirits and will remain till after the inauguration of J. Frank Hanly as governor, next Monday. If he can spare the time from his congressional duties, he wants to return to Indianapolis for his election Jan. 17. George A. Cunningham of Evansville, Republican member of the state committee from the First district, who is a candidate to succeed Mr. Hemenway in congress, was here mingling with the party leaders.

The shippers who are pushing a bill for a railway commission think they smell a mouse somewhere in the statement that Senator T. Edwin Bell of Hammond is to introduce a similar but less strenuous measure. Some of them suspect that Senator Bell may have had the assistance of railway attorneys in drawing up his bill, but the senator declared confidently today that his bill is as good as could be made on the subject. His bill is widely different from the other, however, in that it does not empower the commission to punish offenders of the law. The shippers are very active among the members, and it is said that some of the members were pledged before their nomination to work for it. Some of the shippers when informed today that the railroad would not fight a fair bill replied that they will fight it out along present lines rather than permit the railroad lobby to take out the salient features of the measure they have prepared.

E. A. Dausman of Goshen, who is a member of the house this time, has his own ideas as to how the insane and epileptics should be cared for, and he will probably be heard on them during the session. He believes that arrangements should be made at hospitals for the insane and the epileptic, but that the members of their families should lend assistance in caring for them. In other words he thinks that if the state provides the place for their maintenance that their relatives should make other necessary provisions. It is surprising the number of influential members who believe as he does. It would not be surprising if Warren G. Sayre and several other very influential members should line up against the erection of a hospital for the epileptics this time if it is to entail a great outlay of money.

There seems to be some grounds for a lurking suspicion that William E. Springer of Elizabethtown will be a candidate to succeed Ambrose Nowlin as collector for the Lawrenceburg revenue district. Springer is Fourth district member of the Republican state committee and member of the house of representatives from Bartholomew county. He is here for the opening of the session tomorrow. When asked today if he proposes to be a candidate to succeed Nowlin he gracefully ducked the question with the answer that it is too early to talk about the matter, leaving the impression that he is considering the subject very seriously.

The legislature will not be in session Saturday and but a short time Friday. The session Friday will probably not last longer than half an hour. The adjournment until Monday is customary to give the presiding officers time to complete their committees. This is one of the heavy jobs of the session. Monday will be devoted to the inauguration, so it is not likely that the first call for introduction of bills will come till Tuesday. Some of the members have their pockets full of bills, but among the old-timers there seems to be a disposition to "lay low" and let the other fellows present the new propositions.

MARKET REPORT

Prevailing Prices for Grain and Livestock on Jan. 3.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

Wheat—Wagon, new, \$1.15; No. 2 red, firm, \$1.19. Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 44¢. Oats—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 31¢. Hay—Clover, \$10@11; timothy, \$10@11; millet, \$7@8. Cattle—Steady at \$3.00@6.75. Hogs—Quiet at \$4.50@4.75. Sheep—Steady at \$2.00@4.25. Lambs—Steady at \$2.75@6.50.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—Quiet; No. 2 red, \$1.20. Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 46¢. Oats—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 33¢. Cattle—Dull at \$2.25@5.00. Hogs—Active at \$4.00@4.75. Sheep—Steady at \$2.25@4.35. Lambs—Slow at \$3.00@7.00.

Livestock at Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.17@1.17½. Corn—No. 2, 42¢@43¢. Oats—No. 2, 29¢. Cattle—Steady; steers, \$5.40@6.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.30. Hogs—Higher at \$4.40@4.75. Sheep—Steady at \$3.25@5.15. Lambs—Steady at \$4.00@7.25.

At New York.

Cattle—Firm at \$3.75@6.65. Hogs—Firm at \$4.75@5.25. Sheep—Firm at \$3.00@4.25. Lambs—Steady at \$5@7.80.

B. O. S-W. EXCURSION S.

Home-seekers' Excursions 1914-1915—The B. & O. S-W. R. R. will sell regular home-seekers tickets to points south, west, northwest and northeast on the first and third Tuesday in every month at very low rates. For full particulars call on or address C. C. Frey.

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PARTY CAUCUSES

"Real Doings" of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly Begin Tonight.

MATTER OF SOME DOUBT

It Is Not Definitely Settled In Advance Just How the House State Will Be Made Up.

Most of the members now on hand Ready for Formal Opening Tomorrow Morning.

Indianapolis, Jan. 4.—The "real doings" of the legislature will begin tonight when the party caucuses of the senate and the house will be held. All arrangements were completed today, although it is still a matter of some doubt as to how the house slate will be made up.

Most of the members are now here. All of them will be on hand for the caucuses, as not many want to miss anything where the subject of patronage is being discussed. There were two slates today for positions in the house. One was made up of Charles Hurst of this city for principal clerk, George Heilman of Evansville for assistant clerk, and Lewis Sharpe of Ft. Wayne for principal doorkeeper. Hurst headed the other slate, but T. J. Driscoll of Muncie was its candidate for assistant clerk and Milton Garrigus of Kokomo, former department commander of the G. A. R. of Indiana, for principal doorkeeper.

It was said that each slate had a large following, leaving the outcome in doubt. As far as the senate was concerned it was conceded that Julian D. Hogate of Danville will be elected secretary and Charles Gray of South Bend assistant. There were four active candidates for principal doorkeeper. It seems remarkable the number of applicants there are for appointments, none of which pay over \$5 or \$6 a day, with a prospect of being for no longer than thirty days.

The senate "plunder committee," consisting of Senators Lyons, Kittinger and Fisher, held its first meeting this afternoon. It was a tough problem on hand trying to parcel out the few jobs at its disposal so that all of the senators will have something to give their constituents.

Sidney Cantwell of Hartford City, who will be elected speaker of the house tonight, is working overtime on his committee, but he said today that he will not announce any of them before Monday unless it is the elections committee, which has three contests to decide. Joe Cravens, Democrat, and Samuel Wallace, Republican, are contesting for the seat from Jefferson county, arrived here today and are very active.

The few Democratic members seem to be enjoying the troubles of the Republicans in getting the patronage question solved. Zack Feifers of Salem, who is mentioned for the house minority leadership, said that he would be pleased to accept the honor, but he does not propose to go out and make a fight for it.

The session will begin tomorrow morning at 10. Secretary of State Storms calling the house to order and Lieutenant Governor Gilbert presiding in the senate. It is probable that nothing will be done except to organize and listen to the governor's message.

UNNECESSARY DEATHS

Indianapolis Coroner Points Out Some Glaring Public Needs.

Indianapolis, Jan. 4.—The grade crossing accidents in the last year, enumerated in the annual report of Coroner Tutwiler, form an interesting subject. Sixteen lives were sacrificed at the crossings, out of a total of forty-two railroad cases. Ten persons were killed by streetcars and four by interurban cars. In referring to the cases of drowning last summer Mr. Tutwiler said: "Marion county had twenty-one cases of drowning last year. Atlantic City, where from 20,000 to 30,000 people bathe every day in the season, had five." The coroner investigated 435 cases last year. There were twenty-eight cases of suicide, seventeen murders and six fatal elevator accidents.

Interesting Struggle Threatened.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 4.—The manufacturing world is watching the threatened struggle for the control of the fruit jar and glass bottle trade. Ball Bros. of this city, who have factories in Kansas, Illinois, Indiana, Pennsylvania and New York, own the only machine making this ware. James Chambers, former window glass magnate, and other Pittsburg capitalists, propose to handle the new Owens machine and fight for the market. The public would benefit on the low prices for the ware. A few days will determine whether or not the fight will commence.

Robbed at Revolver's Point.

Bedford, Ind., Jan. 4.—George B. Jackson, trustee of Elletts township, was stopped and robbed of \$200 at Leesville. Just after several customers had left his store, Jackson prepared to close the building for the night, when he was met at the front door by the robber, who thrust a revolver in his face, and then took \$200 from Jackson's pocket.

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No.	Day	Time
No. 31	8:06 a.m.
No. 19	9:10 a.m.
No. 33	3:35 p.m.
No. 27	4:54 p.m.
No. 1	9:52 p.m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No.	Day	Time
No. 6	5:10 a.m.
No. 23	8:35 a.m.
No. 30	10:06 a.m.
No. 18	3:40 p.m.
No. 32	8:42 p.m.

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SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

STATIONS	Every Day	Every Day	Every Day	Every Day
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
J.V. Terre Haute	6:50	9:45	11:40	5:25
Ar. Linton	6:55	10:50	11:45	5:30
Ar. Lincoln	6:55	10:50	11:45	5:30
Ar. Bedford	7:00	10:55	11:50	5:35
Ar. Elletts	7:05	11:00	11:55	5:40
Ar. Odessa	7:10	11:05	12:00	5:45
Ar. Odessa	7:15	11:10	12:05	5:50
Ar. Odessa	7:20	11:15	12:10	5:55
Ar. Indian Springs	7:25	11:20	12:15	6:00
Ar. Bedford	7:30	11:25	12:20	6:05
Ar. Seymour Junction	7:35	11:30	12:25	6:10
Ar. Seymour	7:40	11:35	12:30	6:15

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

STATIONS	Every Day	Every Day	Every Day	Every Day
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
J.V. Seymour	6:55	11:05	11:35	5:30
Ar. Seymour Junction	7:00	11:10	11:40	5:35
Ar. Bedford	7:05	11:15	11:45	5:40
Ar. Indian Springs	7:10	11:20	11:50	5:45
Ar. Odessa	7:15	11:25	12:00	5:50
Ar. Odessa	7:20	11:30	12:05	5:55
Ar. Odessa	7:25	11:35	12:10	6:00
Ar. Indian Springs	7:30	11:40	12:15	6:05
Ar. Bedford	7:35	11:45	12:20	6:10
Ar. Seymour Junction	7:40	11:50	12:25	6:15
Ar. Seymour	7:45	11:55	12:30	6:20

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